

Thursday Evenings in the Park

Thursday evenings in July and August beginning at 7:00 p.m., the park will host a series of free concerts. All performances last approximately one hour and take place in the visitor center garden (33 William Street). Limited seating is available and the public is invited to bring lawn chairs. In case of rain, concerts will be moved to an indoor location.

Also, join us year-round on the second Thursday of the month for AHA! (Art, History and Architecture) nights. Detailed AHA! program listings are available the second week of each month at the park visitor center.

Thursday Evening Performers

July 7 - Back Eddy - *Bluegrass/Old Time*

July 14* - Semenya McCord - *Jazz*

July 21 - NB Sea Chantey Chorus - *Sea Music*

July 28 - Odaiko New England - *Japanese Taiko*

August 4 - Whaling Town - *Fishing Folk Music*

August 11* - Katie Latimer - *Storytelling*

August 18 - Besh - *Traditional Cape Verdean*

August 25 - Dillon Bustin - *Songs for Sailing*

**This evening's performance is presented in collaboration with AHA!, New Bedford's free arts and culture night.*



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Maritime Heritage Days

On Saturdays in July and August, visiting maritime musicians and craftspeople from Mystic to Cape Ann will enliven the park. Free musical performances and traditional maritime craft demonstrations will take place in the visitor center garden beginning at 12:00 p.m. Musical performances will last an hour and crafts will continue until 2:00 p.m. In the event of rain, music and craft demonstrations will move to an indoor location.

Saturday Maritime Crafts

July 9 - Barbara Merry - *Rigging & Rope Making*

July 16 - Ann Lima - *Nantucket Lightship Baskets*

July 23 - Gerry Vinci - *Figurehead Carving*

July 30 - Phil and Nancy Szenher - *Sea Chests*

August 6 - Dean Rantz - *Blacksmithing*

August 13 - Tor Bendiksen - *Net Making*

August 20 - Matthieu Lemieux -
Scallop Bag Making

August 27 - Ron Raiseles - *Barrel Making*

Saturday Maritime Music

July 9 - Rum Soaked Crooks

July 16 - Daisy Nell and Captain Stan

July 23 - Tom Goux and Friends

July 30 - Iain Geddes and Dan Lanier

August 6 - The Beans

August 13 - Jerry Bryant

August 20 - John Roberts

August 27 - Larry Young

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